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Mr. Wayne Hedberg
Division of Oil, Gas & Mining
355 West North Temple
3 Triad, Suite 350
Salt Lake City, Utah 84108

Dear Wayne:

Thank you for inviting Lyle Stott and Mack Croft to the meeting with Hecla Mining, February 27, 1990, regarding the reclamation of the tailings pond near Escalante, Utah. We would like to review the final plans when they are completed, which proposes a closure date in 1994. They should continue monitoring the wells and the drain system until closure is completed.

Please give Lyle or Mack a call at 538-6146, if there are any questions.

Sincerely,

Larry J. Mize, Manager
Ground Water Protection Section
Bureau of Water Pollution Control

cc: Hecla Mine, Escalante Utah
Wayne Thomas, St. George, Utah

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